CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

▼ WAIVER REQUEST

□RECONSIDERATION REQUEST

DATE: 3/28/2021

DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Jeri B. Bowen

Office: Member of School Board, District 8

Parish: CADDO

Election Date: 11/3/2020 Level of Office: Any

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: 10-G

Original Due Date: 11/25/2020

Date Filed: 12/8/2020 Activity Receipts: \$2,330.18

Expenditures: \$3,885.25

Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$5.11

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1000

Days Late: 13

Late Fee Order Received: 2/27/2021

Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 3/19/2021

Waiver Request Received: 3/2/2021 Additional Information Requested:

- Medical

- Financial

- Other

COMMENTS: Candidate faxed in waiver request and states that she was a first time candidate and had no idea that she missed the report filing. She said she had assistance from her Treasurer for the first report, but then her treasurer went through a horrible divorce and then had to have a hysterectomy in late October and the candidate had to prepare her reports by herself.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: No Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: No

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March 2, 2021

VIA FAX (225) 381-7271 & US Mail 10:00 a.m.

Louisiana Board of Ethics Attn: Waivers Request P.O. 4368 Baton Rouge, LA 70821

Dear Board:

Please allow this to serve as my response and request for waiver for the certified letter received on 2/27/21, I would like to ask for a waiver in the late fee of this matter. I am a firsttime candidate and thought the report of 10th day prior to general was my last report due before the Supplemental Report because I did not win the election. I had no idea I missed a report filing.

I had assistance from my treasurer on my very first report, but she, unfortunately, went through a horrible divorce and then a hysterectomy in late October and I had to prepare the other reports without assistance. I truly and sincerely had no idea that a previous report was due and I am in need of this waiver. With assistance from your staff, particularly the guidance of Sara, I am planning to have this report filed by the end of today.

I am an upstanding citizen, work for a District Attorney and would have never missed a deadline had I realized this report was due. I graciously ask for your forgiveness with the fee waiver.

Sincerely,

eri/B. Bowen

As for my final report due, it the one for February 18th. I have submitted my Supplemental Report this morning via fax and US Mail due to the reporting date falling the week that NWLA had severe weather and no water, power, and travel in our area. Thank you again for your consideration.



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